

Office Memorandum

• UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : Director, FBI

DATE: Jan. 21, 1958

ATTENTION: INSPECTOR IN CHARGE G. A. NEASE

FROM: SAC, Cincinnati (100-8230)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE
ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE (NAACP)
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On January 14, 1958, Mr. M. G. LOWMAN, Executive Secretary of the Circuit Riders, a Methodist lay organization investigating Communist infiltration among members of the clergy, contacted SA DANIEL F. GILL of the Cincinnati Division and advised as follows.

His organization had recently completed searching the names of individuals listed on two letterheads of captioned organization through their indices. These letterheads identified by LOWMAN as the letterhead of the National Organization which contained 162 names and the letterhead of the Committee of One Hundred containing 89 names, were searched for front group affiliation and the following statistics were noted:

(1) Both letterheads - There are 134 individuals with a total of 2,149 incidents of front group affiliation.

(2) National Organization letterhead - Of the 162 individuals, 64 have front group affiliation.

(3) Committee of One-Hundred letterhead - Of the 89 individuals, 70 have front group affiliation.

(4) Both letterheads - Of the 134 individuals mentioned above, 46 have 15 or more incidents of front group affiliation each.

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Mr. LOWMAN advised that it was his intention to furnish Mr. NEASE the complete documentation as set out above, identifying each individual on his next visit to the Bureau and he furnished the foregoing information for the information of the Cincinnati Division. He stated that one copy only of this documentation was available at this time since the research work involved was quite lengthy and expensive.

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Lorin Bradford Young, NAACP Committee of 100:

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(1) American League for Peace and Democracy -- speaker --
Daily Worker, June 7, 1938, page 4 *List of Communist*

(2) Consumers National Federation -- sponsor -- program,
December 11-12, 1937

(3) Letter Supporting Simon W. Gerson -- signer -- Daily
Worker, February 10, 1938, page 1

(4) Melish Brief of Joseph Fletcher, and Others, Amici
Curiae -- signer -- Supreme Court, State of New York, March 13,
1950

(5) Melish Brief Amici Curiae -- signer -- U. S. Supreme
Court, January 11, 1951

(6) National Emergency Conference -- sponsor -- call,
May 13-14, 1939

(7) Open Letter to President Roosevelt Protesting Depo. sta-
tion Order Against Harry R. Bridges -- signer -- letter, April
22, 1943